



3682
ST
#2
PATENT 3-8-02
29020/98022B

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

KERN et al.

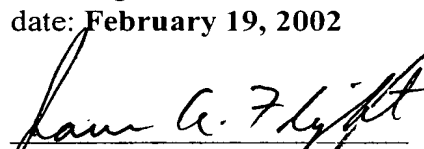
Serial No.: 10/054,454

Filed: November 13, 2001

For: MULTI-PANEL DOOR WITH AN
AUXILIARY DRIVE MECHANISM

Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

) I hereby certify that this paper is
) being deposited with the United
) States Postal Service with sufficient
) postage as first class mail in an
) envelope addressed to:
) Commissioner for Patents,
) Washington, D.C. 20231 on this
) date: **February 19, 2002**
) 
) James A. Flight
) Registration No. 37,622
) Attorney for Applicants

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RECEIVED

MAR 07 2002

GROUP 3600

The patents and/or publications listed on the enclosed PTO Form-1449 are
submitted pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98.

TIME OF FILING

This information disclosure statement is being filed within three months of the
filing date of the application and, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, before the
mailing date of a first Office action on the merits. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(b),
no certification or fee is required.

PRIOR AND RELATED APPLICATIONS

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(d), copies of the patents and publications listed on the enclosed PTO Form-1449 are not provided because the patents and publications were previously cited by, or submitted to, the Patent Office in a prior application that Applicant(s) rely upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120. Documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 were cited by, or submitted to, the examiner of the following patent application(s):

Applicant(s): KERN et al.
Serial No. 09/394,799
Filing Date: September 10, 1999
Title: MULTI-PANEL DOOR WITH
AN AUXILIARY DRIVE MECHANISM
Status: Allowed on July 17, 2001

METHOD OF PAYMENT

No fee is required.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-2855. A copy of this paper is enclosed.

Correspondence Address:

Customer No. 04743

Respectfully submitted,

MARSHALL, GERSTEIN & BORUN
6300 Sears Tower
233 South Wacker Drive
Chicago, Illinois 60606-6402
(312) 474-6300

By:


James A. Flight
Registration No.: 37,622

February 19, 2002

534745